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Case No. 8627/331**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Darin G. Schaeffer et al. for : PARTIALLY BIODEGRADABLE STENT.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 9 sheet(s) of drawings, 24 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices : 0.
- ☐ Declaration.
- ☐ Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to : \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, Copies of Cited Foreign Patents.

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Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	-20	
Indep. Claims	-3	
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

\*If the difference in col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in col. 2.

Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 385
x\$9=	\$
x\$43=	\$
+\$145=	\$
Total	\$

Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 770
x\$18=	\$
x\$86=	\$
+\$290=	\$
Total	\$

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